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SUBJECT: AFRICA AND UK: NEW FCO AFRICA DIRECTOR ADAM WOOD AND CHANGES TO THE AFRICA DIRECTORATE REF: LONDON 1426

Classified By: Political Counselor Richard Mills, reasons 1.4 (b/d).

- 1.(C/NF) New FCO Africa Director Adam Wood, who started in July, told us on September 29 that his policy priorities for Africa are conflict res
- 2.(C/NF) In an attempt to balance work-loads and create "synergy" along common work strands, Wood is re-structuring the Africa Directorate to c
BIO NOTE -----
- 3.(C/NF) Adam Wood takes up his directorship in the Africa Directorate after nearly 20 years overseas, in postings with the Department for Inte
- 4.(C/NF) Colleagues and other diplomats who have worked with him describe Wood as "nice but distant." He is willing to exchange information and
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